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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: DCI Briefing of Joint Committee on Atomic Energy
20 February 1969

1. On 20 February 1969, the Director appeared before the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. The session lasted from 1000 to 1235 hours.

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The briefing included material from TKC and Restricted Data systems.

2. Joint Committee members present were:

Representative Chet Holifield (D., Calif.), Chairman
Representative Melvin Price (D., Ill.)
Representative Wayne N. Aspinall (D., Colo.)
Representative Ed Edmundson (D., Okla.)
Representative Craig Hosmer (R., Calif.)
Representative William H. Bates (R., Mass.)
Representative William M. McCulloch (R., Ohio)

Senator John O. Pastore (D., R.I.)
Senator George D. Aiken (R., Vt.)
Senator Wallace Bennett (R., Utah)
Senator Norris Cotton (R., N.H.)

3. Joint Committee staff members present were:

Edward J. Bauser, Executive Director
George F. Murphy, Deputy Director

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4. Accompanying the Director were:

25X1A Carl Duckett, Deputy Director for Science and Technology
Donald Chamberlain, Director of Scientific Intelligence
[redacted] Europe Division
John M. Maury, Legislative Counsel

5. The presentation, questions and answers are contained in the Committee transcript, a copy of which is available in the Office of Legislative Counsel.

6. Follow-up action:

a. Representative Bates and Senator Pastore requested information re percentage of Soviet GNP devoted to strategic weapons, both offensive and defensive. (DD/S&T is preparing this.)

25X6 b. Chairman Holifield requested a "damage assessment" of the [redacted] security cases. [redacted] 25X1A
is preparing this.

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